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Date: July 26, 2002


Virginia Silva**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER AND
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (IF REQUIRED)**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee is calculated as shown below:

Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest # Previously Paid For	# Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims: 39 -	46	0	\$18	\$0
Independent Claims: 10 -	12	0	\$84	\$0
<input type="checkbox"/> 1st Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim			\$280	\$0
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT				\$0

☒ No additional fee is required.☒ Applicant(s) petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 (fees: 37 CFR 1.17(a)-(d) for the total number of months checked below.

	Extension (Months)	Fee For Large Entity
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	One (1) Month	\$110
<input type="checkbox"/>	Two (2) Months	\$400
<input type="checkbox"/>	Three (3) Months	\$920
<input type="checkbox"/>	Four (4) Months	\$1440

FEE: \$110.00☒ If an extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor together with authorization to charge Deposit Account No. 19-2746 for any extension fee.☐ Relative to response to the Final Office Action, an extension for _____ months has already been secured and the fee paid therefor of \$_____ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.☐ Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

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- ☐ Enclosed is an Information Disclosure Statement together with Form PTO-1449 and a copy of ___ cited references:
- ☐ Enclosed is a certification under 37 CFR 1.97(e).
- ☐ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee of \$180 under 37 CFR 1.17(p) to Deposit Account No. 19-2746.
- ☐ Enclosed is a Request To Amend The Drawings and a copy of Fig. _____.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees during the pendency of this application or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 19-2746. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is enclosed.
- ☒ Any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16.
- ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.16.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 19-2746. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is enclosed.
- ☒ Any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16.
- ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.16.
- ☐ Enclosed is a Submission Under 37 CFR §1.129(a).
- ☒ Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-2746 the sum of \$110.00. A duplicate of this transmittal letter is attached.

Date: July 26, 2002

Respectfully submitted,


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